THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir, 91 kg. of heroin and 176 kg. of charas were recovered on 30th August, 1986 from an Afghan National resident of New Friends Colony, New Delhi. Interrogation led to further recovery of 5 kg. of heroin from the possession of another Afghan national, resident of Dayanand Colony The estimated value of the heroin and charas seized in the two cases is about Rs. 9.6 crores and 60 lakhs respectively in the International Market.

(c) A number of Afghan nationals have been arrested by the Delhi Police on charges of drug trafficking and under the Excise Act, Arms Act, and IPC. However, none of them has been arrested by the Delhi Police for foreign exchange racketeering.

(d) The requisite information is contained in the statement attached. [*See* Appendix CXL, Annexure No. 82].

Sainik Schools in Andhra Pradesh

2191. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of Sainik schools and the number of students studying therein in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to set up more Sainik schools in that State; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI ARUN SINGH): (a) There is one Sainik school in Andhra Pradesh at Korukonda As on 31st July, 1986, 535 students were studying in the school.

(b) and (c) A Sainik School is only at the specific request of a State Government/Union Territory Administration as the entire capital expenditure and a major portion of the recurring expenditure of the school has to be borne by them. No proposal has been received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh for opening a second Sainik School in that state.

House-sites for ex-servicemen and war widows

2192. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of ex-servicemen rehabilitated in Andhra Pradesh from 1983 to 1986;

(b) whether there is any comprehensive scheme or proposal to allot house-sites to ex-servicemen and war-widows; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof and the amount proposed to be spent/already spent on the said scheme/proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI ARUN SINGH): (a) During the period from 1983 to June 1986, 2133 ex-servicemen have been rehabilitated in Andhra Pradesh.

(b) There is no such scheme or proposal Allotment of house-sites to ex-servicemen and war-widows falls within the purview of the State Governments.

(c) Does not arise.

Modernisation of the Navy

2193 PROF. C LAKSHMANNA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether in view of the worsening security environment around India, Government have formulated any plans to strengthen and modernise the Indian Navy;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?